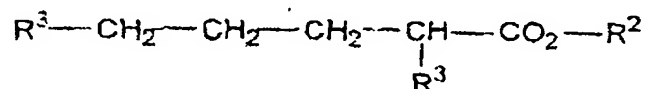


Abstract

**Process for preparing hexahydropyridazine-3-carboxylic acid derivatives**

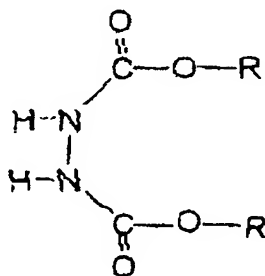
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According to the process of the invention, the hexahydropyridazine-3-carboxylic acid derivatives are prepared by reacting a compound of formula (II)



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with a compound of formula (III)



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in the presence of a base with a pK of greater than or equal to 8.5, in a ketone organic solvent, to obtain an intermediate compound that is not isolated and that is treated with a basic aqueous medium.

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By means of this process, the derivatives are obtained more quickly and more economically.